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## Margaret R. Harrell



### **Deputy Commander, Corporate Operations Naval Sea Systems Command (SEA 10)**

Ms. Margaret (Peggy) Harrell's Navy career began as a high school teacher in Rota, Spain with the Department of Defense Dependent School System. Her Civil Service includes Naval Shipyard Analyst, Industrial Improvement Manager, and Corporate Strategic Planning Officer at Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA) and the NAVSEA Naval Shipyard Base Realignment and Closure Implementation Program Manager.

In 1996, Ms. Harrell was promoted to the Senior Executive Service (SES) as Project Management Officer, Human Resource (HR) Regionalization where she led the initiative to regionalize HR delivery services from a decentralized alignment into geographically dispersed HR Service Centers. In 1998, she relocated to Norfolk Naval Shipyard (NNSY) as Deputy Business and Strategic Planning Officer responsible for the management and direction of the planning, funding, and technical functions of the NNSY Business Office. In 2001, she reported to U.S. Fleet Forces (USFF) as the Deputy Director, Fleet Maintenance, and in 2004 was again promoted to the SES and assigned to the USFF Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Operational Readiness and Training position where she served as the advisor to the Commander on Fleet Readiness and Training. In 2008, Ms. Harrell was assigned to the USFF Assistant Deputy Director for Fleet Warfare Programs position responsible for integrating the Planning, Programming, Budgeting and Execution cycle. In 2009, Ms Harrell reported as the Regional Maintenance Centers' (RMC) Assistant Deputy Commander where she was responsible for the operations of five RMCs providing services to Carrier, Submarine and Surface Type Commanders (TYCOMs) and the numbered Fleets. Currently, she serves as Deputy Commander, NAVSEA, Corporate Operations and Total Force Directorate.

Ms. Harrell was commissioned in 1986 as an Intelligence Officer in the Naval Reserve, last serving as Deputy Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance for Commander, Second Fleet, Joint Force Air Component Commander. She is a member of the American Society of Naval Engineers and the Senior Professional Women's Association. Ms. Harrell is the recipient of the Meritorious Civilian Service and three Superior Civilian Achievement Awards. Additionally, Ms. Harrell established, owned and operated Georgian House Bed and Breakfast in Annapolis, Maryland.

Ms. Harrell has a bachelor's degree in history and a master's degree in adult education and counseling.